OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 16th May 1936.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	12 8 0 to 14 0 0	...	7 to 8 seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna, per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapuri, per palla ...	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Mysore Raddi, per palla.	100	246	11 0 0	...	9
	Alubbalu, per palla ...	100	246	.....	No stock	
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	43 0 0 to 44 0 0	...	14 to 14½
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	44 0 0 to 44 8 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulbarga ...	...	...	.....	...	10½ to 12
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7 to 8
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 9
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 7
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil	26½		5 0 0	...	Re. 0-2-6 to 0-2-9 per seer.
	Castor oil ...	28		4 6 0	...	
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy.	265	...	40 0 0 to 41 0 0	...	
	Castor seed, per candy.	266	...	25 0 0	...	
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	35	3 4 0 to 3 6 0	...	Re. 0-6-0 to 0-7-0 per viss
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 0 0 to 3 4 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	29	0 14 0 to 1 4 0	...	Re. 0-2-6 to 0-3-0 per viss.
	Oonde	...	28	1 0 0 to 1 4 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	18 0 0	...	Re. 2-4-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	1105	...	6 12 0	...	15 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 16th May 1936.

V. VENKATACHAR,
For *Director*.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1936.

A total of 4 attacks with 2 deaths from Plague was reported during the week against one attack with one death in the previous week. The Cities continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 4 attacks with 3 deaths and 20 attacks with 12 deaths, respectively.

A total of 57 attacks with 10 deaths from Small-pox was reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Holalkere, Molkalmuru, Hole-Narsipur, Mudigere, Bagepalli, Shikarpur, Channagiri and Koratagere Taluks, two villages in each of Hiriyur, Malur and Turuvekere Taluks, three villages in each of Sagar and Pavagada Taluks; and from Sagar and Shimoga Towns and Kolar Gold Field area.

Five attacks with 3 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in each of Jagalur and Mudigere Taluks and from Mysore City.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 73, representing a calculated death-rate of 18·86 per mille of population as against 28·14 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 1 under other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 14 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 51 under all other causes.

The total mortality for the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, was 94, representing a calculated death-rate of 34·34 per mille of population as against 30·86 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 6, Pneumonia 8, other Fevers 2, Phthisis 6, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 12, and all other causes 59.

During the week, Mysore City returned 54 deaths, representing a calculated death-rate of 23·47 per mille of population as against 16·47 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Cholera 1, Malaria 1, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 10, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 3, and all other causes 38.

There were 44 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 27·33 per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 29·72 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Small-pox, 1 under Malaria, 3 under other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 6 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 32 under all other causes.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Monthly Means of 8 A.M. Meteorological Observations for April 1936.

Height of Observatory above mean sea level	BANGALORE	MYSORE	HASSAN	CHITALDRUG	BALEHONNUR	JOGIMATTI
	3,021 ft.	2,518 ft.	3,149 ft.	2,405 ft.	2,968 ft.	3,637 ft.
Pressure (red. to 32° F.) ...	26·941	27·429	26·845	27·518	27·050	...
Temperature in shade :—						
Dry Bulb ...	76·6	76·5	74·8	78·1	71·2	76·0
Maximum ...	94·4	94·4	92·6	96·2	86·1	92·7
Minimum ...	70·8	70·6	68·2	72·6	66·2	67·1
Wet Bulb ...	69·3	70·3	68·3	70·8	68·2	67·2
Temperature in open space :—						
Maximum in the Sun ...	147·6	...	...	...	...	...
Minimum on Grass ...	67·9	...	...	...	...	...
Rainfall (Total) ...	0·09	0·47	0·84	0·35	1·81	0·25
Wind Direction ...	S 69° W	S 62° W	S 87° W	S 66° W	S 56° E	N 81° W
Velocity (miles per hour) ...	5	5	5	5	2	7
Cloud in cents ...	39	42	29	26	58	5
Daily Hours of Bright Sunshine.	9·1	...	...	...	...	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 12th May 1936.

C. SESHACHAR,
Meteorologist,
Government of Mysore.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 24th April 1936.

(Section 5-ii.)

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed		Number of bales pressed		Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1935	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	1,069	1,122	6,528	8,569	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 12th May 1936.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 1st May 1936.

(Section 5-ii).

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1935	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	1,377	1,187	7,905	9,706	...

BANGALORE,
Dated 15th May 1936.